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When George presented R. S. with the crown he had nobly earned as winner of the famous "Dixie Cup", Mr. Stockton was more than pleased at the ornamental headdress, and seemed highly delighted that the emblem marked the Scotch in his name.

Although prizes had been taken to secure the right side, the head, although Mrs. Bolton was inclined to be a bit too small. However, that drawback must have been overcome for those who saw the crowd pressing long to Jimmie Swanson on Saturday last, had the opinion that either the crown had not been worn or was worn so unbecomingly before the end of the game. "There is no doubt that the main cause for the spirit of justification was the fine race given under the skillful management of Bob Gray and the able assistance given by the ladies. Bob sure likes 'hot cups'."

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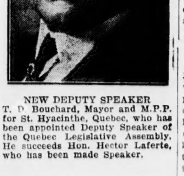
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Sidelights On the Spiel
Some of the best work done was the work of the boys who prize comings in. Good work, Nels.

Four fairly heavy troubles were registered. R. S. Stockton and Frankie Seales on No. 1 and Wm. Anderson and Fremont on No. 2.

Jack Taylor made a splendid comeback himself, but where are those rocks?

It was good to see our old friend Bobby again in action.

Rumour has it that Jack, Tom and George have signed up with the "Gits" and had a special few (for sinners) in a choice location last Saturday. Rev. J. T. says: "I'll get them yet," and it looks like it.

Three outstanding shots—McMillen, Rev. Wilkinson, and our own Willie. Did you ever see a more even distribution of prizes?

They say age and experience counts. How about the little game between Rev. J. T. in the fourth of the "Merchants" and Willie's youngsters. Well, say the old boys were there. Shows you what to bed early and no Elks perviously done. Tom says he wouldn't have believed it.

Bob Grey and J. C. say the hardest game they had was the first one with Frankie Ridley's team, which was organized and put on the ice in fifteen minutes to take the place of A. B. Foster's Chanceller resignation which they put in an appearance at the last moment.

Bob nearly had a stroke when he only had a lead of one on the fifth and one to go. He made it, however, and that's that.

Pakenham, from Carleton, got a good ship and a good sport. Come again old man.

R. B. Anderson, from Nanaka, defeated Maud, who was top man up to the semi-finals of the "Birks", but when he met E. N. R. on No. 2 in the consolation before the train went out why, he wasn't there, he was on No. 4.

In the group competition, the Calgary Brewing Trophy was won by W. Grey's rink (Scott's Greys). He has won five out of six games in the series. The group winning the greatest number of games was Scott's Greys. The Dirty Cup and Cup is now being contested by Jimmie Swanson's bunch, they having defeated R. S. Stockton on Saturday night. There was a great deal of waiting last so he'll see Jimmie.

Curlers' Dance and Concert
We have yet to find the person who was absent from the dance, and the dance and concert provided during one of the match.

Dance and there had a good time. Dancer's taste seemed to be provided for. The local musicians were a very pleasing treat, and a humorous monologue was given by Mr. T. Gaten.

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Henry Ford, at 64, still craves to keep in harness. Three times Wall Street Exchange has offered him a billion for his properties. Three times he has refused. And nothing carages him so much as the implication that he is engaged merely in piling up money. Why then, does he build automobiles, and seek to prevent a certain field. He explains: "Transportation breaks down sectionalism. The cheaper cars are, the more they enable people on different points to travel and to know one another better. Breaking down sectionalism is the chief work of the automobile. It is an educational invention. This is why I am interested." To drive home the point of the differing attitudes toward work, Ford tells this story: "Once three men on a building plot were asked what they were doing—I am getting a 2 day salary, I am laying bricks said the second, 'I am building a church' exulted the third. And this is the secret. Henry Ford believes that he is building something real and useful."

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NANAKA

A Valentine dance will be held in the I.O.O.F. hall on Wednesday, February 14th. Music by Brenner's orchestra. A series of dances is being considered to raise funds for the Dicks light recently purchased for the hall.

The Oddfellows are busy removing earth from the basement, and are going to make a kitchen and dining room, which will be quite an improvement and convenience. Later they purpose extending the floor space, making a stage.

The Minstrel Show, which was put on at Nanaka on February 2nd, was a decided success. Great credit is due Mrs. Waters and Mrs. Ishan for their untiring efforts in getting it up. Mrs. Waters, who has not been in the community very long but exceptionally well in drawing out the talent of Nanaka. It was quite a surprise to some to know that there is so much hidden talent in this small place. The sum of approximately \$70 was realized after expenses were paid, and we are sure everyone got his money's worth in fun. The Ladies Aid wish to thank all those who worked so hard to make this evening such an enjoyable one, and such a big success.

Rev. Marr, Secretary of the Bible Society, Calgary, has just sent Mrs. Waters and Mrs. Ishan their report raised by the Nanaka branch for the support of that work.

Mr. and Mrs. Friedrich are the proud parents of a boy, born last week.

Miss Francis Thorsen, of Calgary, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Edwards.

Mr. Grayson, of Balnreave, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Waters.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Wheeler and Loy was the scene of a very enjoyable surprise party on Wednesday, February 1st, when many of their friends gathered to spend the evening with them in their new home. During the early part of the evening many events of bygone days were recalled by the old-timers, while the younger set discussed such topics of present interest such as the new Ford. By ten o'clock the house was filled to capacity and the guests were given the opportunity to inspect the house from basement to attic. With the exception of a lighting plant, which is to be installed later, the house is fully equipped with all modern conveniences such as steam heat, hot and cold water throughout, a built-in garage, a clothes chute, dumb waiter, built-in ironing board, etc. Great credit is due to Mr. Wheeler, who originated the plan of the house, as well as to the contractor, Mr. C. Thompson, of Gleichen. After the tour of inspection, games were indulged in until the lunch hour, when a delicious repast was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Lewis, Mrs. McLean, Mrs. Watts, Mrs. Edwards, Mrs. McIntosh and Mrs. H. Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler and family are pioneers, having spent some eighteen years in this district. Continued success was the wish expressed by all when the party broke up in the wee small hours of the morning.

CANADA HAS RIVALS IN WHEAT GROWING

Of the four or five countries which are close rivals of Canada in the marketing of wheat there are probably only three which can increase their output to any great extent. These three are Russia, Argentina and Australia, all favored with rich soils and equable climate, but lacking in the ability to produce the highest grade of milling wheat. Recently the Australian Government made the claim that flour from Western Australian wheat had the preference among the leading bakers of London. This is disputed by Canadian bakers, who have made comparative tests of Australian and Canadian flour.

Indian Exports Drop At one time wheat was a considerable factor in the world's wheat trade, exporting as high as 80,000,000 bushels in one year. In the eleven years before the war the average shipments were 45,000,000, which has fallen to about 13,000,000 since the war. With a dense population and a greater home consumption it is not likely that this country will ever attain a prominent place as an exporter. Even the great irrigation projects which will extend the wheat-growing area in the northern parts of India cannot give any great surplus for shipment to Europe, and such a big success.

PASTOR'S WIFE TELLS OF ECONOMIC STRAITS

LONDON—Newspaper discussion in which the Bishop of London has endeavored to show the comparative poverty of clergymen in the Church of England has revealed little that has not been generally known for years, but it has brought to public attention, perhaps, as never before, the industry, frugality, and untiring patience of the parson's wife. "The clergyman's wife and mother of his children is obliged often to work hard, and to be a 'society' woman," writes such a modern devotee to the press. My husband's income from all sources is £240 (£165.13.0 a year). We have three small children, two of whom are now at school, and I keep one maid. We do all washing and baking at home without any help, and I make practically all my own and the children's clothes. The following is a rough budget of our expenses: Food, £160; coal and oil, £18; maid's wages, £20; school fees, £40; total £248 (£126.52).

The balance of income, £92 (£47.52) has to cover charges for pension, dilapidation, insurance premiums, rates and taxes, garden requisites, and occasional help, books, clothes, subscriptions, and the other minor expenses of a household. Fortunately we have a good garden and ample fresh air and rural scenery to delight our eyes, as naturally there is no margin for holidays or amusements in our budget.

"Both my husband and I are graduates of one of the older universities, and we both feel we could do so much more for the parish were we not so cramped by force of circumstances—be having to spend so much time as nurse, mother, dressmaker, and so rest."

READ THE WANT ADS.

I Saw Last Week

REV. MR. WILKINSON being congratulated upon bringing home the bacon in the Curling tournament. Y. WRIGHT, the team, putting in a fine display of skillful tactics. No one too good for the job. JIM WEIR wishing that Harry Miner had given him a little longer notice before returning, so that he could have had a real housewarming. KUNYIA COTT taking saxophone lessons from Frank Sharpe. He hopes to be able to practice on Sunday afternoon. NURMAN GATINBY asking Jim Prince no to tell Harry Miner about Jim Weir's parties while Harry Miner was away holidaying. THE GIRL GUIDED under the command of Miss Edith Gray, on the lake to Chedoke. JIM SAUNDERS enquiring from M. S. Hink when the bank is going to pay the Irrigation March. MARSHALL KIMPTON all smiles when the missing letters were found; he will now be able to stand down to his study of his new scientific books just received from New York. JACK CRELLIN putting up the game of his life against the Stockport boys. R. S. SPENCER TON quietly admiring his new "Scotch bonnet". REXALL, RED making a long list of things which he had. JOHN TAYLOR telling his friends what a fine game Mr. Wilkinson played. BILL TIERNEY worrying about the municipal election, but he will go to the factory to give much time. FRED ANDERSON making good time with his car; it goes fine with a team at the track. JIM MORAN said that the Curling Tournament was over, so that he could have a chance to talk to Alex Gray about a fishing party. No darn us trying to make any arrangements in the meanwhile. FRED J. DUNN cross-examining W. N. Watson on the intricacies of the English language, and Watson refrained from using the strap. JIM WEIR explaining how he became interested in ornithological contents.

FAMOUS YARD STILL

LONDON—Sherlock Holmes and his dog, Sherlock, have been out-Sherlocking Sherlock Holmes during recent weeks, says a London dispatch. With the aid of doctors, pathologists and expert criminologists, British detectives have unraveled some of the most mysterious murders on the slenderest of clues. Never has Britain's detective force ranked so high. A broken cobble proved sufficient to commit one murderer for trial, while experiments conducted on a blade of grass definitely established the guilt of another.

In the case of the broken cobble, the police initially were at a loss to discover how the peculiar V-shaped wounds on the victim's head were inflicted. The trail led to an old cistern. Cobble was covered the wooden lid. At the right hand side the cobble had been broken. The lid was made of stone and was fastened by a blade of grass. The blade of grass consisted of a piece of lead piping, wedged into which were two or three pieces of wood. A search of the suspects house revealed that a piece of pipe which normally projected from the outside of the house had been sawn off. Further investigation proved that the piece of pipe found in the cistern matched and fitted exactly into the space provided by the missing piece outside the house. The evidence was conclusive.

Even more astounding was the evidence provided by the blade of grass. The defence had endeavored to prove that the tragedy for which the prisoner was in the dock charged with murder was due wholly to an accident. It was a case of alleged poisoning of a two-year-old child by an unmarried mother. The prosecution then produced its sensation. A scientist was called. He produced a blade of grass in a cardboard box. He had poured over it a similar disinfectant used to poison the infant. He had kept the blade of grass exposed to the open air for over four weeks, but it still bore the smell of the poison. The smell corresponded to the poison recovered from the child's stomach. The jury brought in a verdict of guilty. It will be recalled that a half-burnt bloodstained match was sufficient to send John Robinson the Charing Cross trunk murderer, to the gallows. Here again it was a case of concentrated detective work on apparently insignificant details. But for the painstaking search of the murderer's office by a sleuth from Scotland Yard, and the discovery of the match in a waste paper basket before the janitor had cleared it of rubbish, it is probable that John Robinson would be a free man to this day.

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hope that the domestic market, and that of the many other countries where Massey-Harris products are familiarly known will continue to keep the plant in this city operating at capacity.

ONTARIO WOMAN TO SHARE MILLIONS

—O—
CHICAGO—Melinda McGarr, of Bismarck, Ont., will share, with other winners in the \$5,000,000 estate of the late John B. Jennings, a recent millionaire, by reason of the decision of Probate Court, which denied claims of Edward C. Koester, former co-widow, to the legacy.

millionaire ever had married the woman Koester said was his mother, who proved that she will under which Koester claimed the estate was existent at the time of Jennings' death. The eight children who contested the case against Koester introduced evidence to show that the woman alleged to be the ex-co-widow's mother had died at the age of 13, two years before the date on which Koester said he was born.

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ARDENODE U.F.W.A.
The regular meeting of the U.F.W.A.
was held at the home of Mrs. Husted
on February 1st.

The usual business was attended to
and papers read and discussed and
amongst these being a paper on mental
deficiency, which was very interest-
ing.

A concert and social was discus-
sed to be held on March 16th, to cele-
brate St. Patrick's Day; this social to be
held to help the J.U.F.A. A social
will also be held on February 17th at
the schoolhouse.

Mrs. Charlie Dawson gave a very
interesting paper on First Aid, in the
home, for burns, cuts, poison, etc.,
which was certainly appreciated. The
next meeting will be held at home
of Mrs. Horrocks on March 7th, when
Mrs. Geo. Dawson will have charge
of the program.

We are expecting to welcome some
new members in near future. More
are needed, and everyone is welcome.
A very delicious luncheon was serv-
ed by our hostess.

"MOTHER AND DAUGHTER" SERVICE

—Rosebud United Church—

SUNDAY NEXT, FEBRUARY 12, at 8 p.m.

Music by C.G.I.T. Girls and Mothers

—The Pastor's Subject—

"Miriam the Queen of Sisters"

ROCKYFORD

Remember the date for the Rocky
ford Minstrels, Tuesday, February 21
in the Rockyford Hall at 8.30 p.m.
This promises to be over two hours
of fun and laughs. All local talent,
with Mrs. R. L. Stone director. Pro-
ceeds to be used for putting electric-
ity into United Church and parsonage.

A very interesting debate took place,
last Thursday, under the auspices of
the Rockyford Young People's Society,
entitled, "Resolved that purchase
should be by cash only and not by the
installment plan". The negative scored
the majority of points. The speakers
of the affirmative were Lloyd Stevens
and Manie Schaefer, of the negative
Virginia Jarvis and Lowell Dunsmore.

Mr. O. Goodfellow, of Fernie, has
taken a position as service manager
with Fred Gibson, at the Rockyford
Garage.

Nominations for the Town Council
were held on Monday night, when the
following were elected by acclamation:
A. Walrod, three years; J. McCallister,
two years; and A. Sangster, 1 year.

Mrs. and Mrs. W. B. Benstead enter-
tained a number of their friends last
Friday evening at whist. The ladies
first prize was won by Mrs. A. H.
Elliott, and the gentlemen's prize by
Mr. C. A. Elliott. The booky prizes
were won by Mrs. McKenzie and Mr.
Caldwell. At midnight a dance lunch
was served by the hostess.

The Strathmore hockey team jour-
neyed to Rockyford on Sunday, Feb-
ruary 5th, to play the return game of
the hockey. The score was 3-0 in favor
of Strathmore. A real snappy game
was played.

DALEMEAD

Much interest was aroused through-
out the community last week over the
London Carnival held there last Fri-
day evening, partly due probably to the
fact created by the candidates on the
Queen'ship. Miss Ada Dye, who
represented the Dalemead community,
put up a gallant fight, and on the even-
ing of the queen, was decisively
crowned Queen of the carnival, thus
having piled up some 570 votes. A
good share of the prizes offered for
the various events. Everybody spent
a thoroughly enjoyable evening, and
London is to be congratulated for in-
teresting such a splendid society event.

The Dalemead Junior U.F.A. held
their regular monthly meeting last
Saturday evening when the local pres-
ident, Ralph Coonter, filled the
chair in a very capable manner. Dur-
ing the course of the program, Chas.
Horstma delivered an enthusiastic
message, in which he stated that the
sacrifices made by those who had
lost the status of the farming commu-
nity should not be forgotten. He urged
every Junior to join the Junior U.F.A.
for 1928. At the close of the meeting,
a call for members was made, when
some eight Juniors joined the roll
and others expressed the desire to join
at an early date.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and
Mrs. Allan Cleveland recently. Our
heartiest congratulations are extended.

Mrs. Thomas, from Gleichen, was a
visitor with Mrs. Nat Anderson some
time ago.

Mrs. and Mr. Charlie Martin left
early last week for a short stay at the
coast.

Mr. William ... returned from
a three week's visit to Toronto, Ont.,
last Monday.

Mrs. and Mr. Winkler, who were re-
cently married in Calgary, spent a few
days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed.
Winters before returning to Okotoks
where they will reside.

Charlie Horstma addressed the in-
stitute at London last Wednesday on
the subject of Canadian Literature.

A number of Dalemead folks took
in the Pembroke Bazaar held in Calgary
last week end.

Mrs. Jack Hable had to be taken
to Calgary for an operation last Fri-
day.

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BUTCH M. P. TELLS ABOUT GIGANTIC AIRSHIPS

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Commander
C. J. Akeley, a member of the par-
liament of Great Britain, told President
Coolidge that plans had been made for
the inauguration in September of a
regular air service between London
and New York, in which a fleet of six
gigantic lighter-than-air ships will regu-
larly cross the Atlantic.

Commander Akeley, who is said to be
the designer of an airship as large as the
steamer Mauretania, and now residing
in England, said that the ship would
make the passage from London
to New York in 28 hours and the
other way in 48 hours. Commander
Akeley, who was presented to the
president by Sir Esmé Howard, the
British ambassador, said the airships
would be equipped with six motors.
He said the cost of passage would be
£400, and that a ship would leave Lon-
don every other day and New York on
alternate days.

The company expects the ships to
land in either Montreal or New York,
depending upon prevailing winds.
In addition to 100 passengers, the al-
ships will be able to handle ten tons of
freight or mail, Akeley said.

BRITAIN WITHDRAWS TROOPS FROM CHINA

LONDON—Improved security of life
and property in China is reflected in
the announcement here today that
Great Britain is withdrawing further
troops, namely, the second battalion
of the Coldstream Guards sent to
Shanghai a year ago.

In this connection the Nanking
Government's invitation to A. H. F.
Edwards, acting Inspector-General of
Chinese maritime customs, to discuss
the situation is viewed here as a
hopeful move in the direction of bet-
ter relations with the hitherto largely
isolated Nationalist administration,
which now chiefly controls in Southern
China.

The situation is being watched
closely, as it is felt, now that the
active anti-foreign phase of the revolution
has passed, that the time is ap-
proaching for various governments
which have maritime treaties with
China to make a fresh effort to re-
store trade and especially to establish
these closer connections with Hankow,
which have already improved the situ-
ation where the Peking Government
is concerned.

TABER BLIZZARD LEAVES TWO INCHES SNOW IN ITS WAKE

TABER, Feb. 8.—Two inches of snow
and a drop from frost point to a 14 de-
grees, this morning followed a bliz-
ard of wet snow starting Tuesday at
midnight. Road operations will again
be halted, depending on further weather
or conditions.

SENATOR CLORAN DIES AT OTTAWA

OTTAWA—Hon. Henry Joseph Clor-
an, M.P., member of the House of
Commons for the last 25 years, died
here today after a prolonged illness.
He was in his 73rd year and his pas-
sage to the House of Commons was a
career devoted to the public service of
his country.
Senator Cloran's health for the last
number of years prevented his taking
an active part in the deliberations of
the upper house of parliament. An
advocate of Montreal, and an active
figure in Quebec, he was regarded as
one of the most prominent Irish-Can-
adians in the Dominion.

FREAK BABY BORN

TORONTO—A baby born to Mr. and
Mrs. Ernest Green, with 12 fingers and
12 toes is doing well in St. Michael's
hospital and the mother is also in
fine condition. The baby was born on
Sunday.

FAVOR NEW PRAYER BOOK

LONDON—General approval of the
amended form of the book of common
prayer of the Church of England was
voted today by the house of laity of
the church assembly, 196 to 80.
The house of clergy approved the
newly revised version yesterday, 247
to 35, while the house of bishops ap-
proved it 40 to 5.

HUTTON AT TORONTO

TORONTO—Addressing the annual
meeting of the Southern Breeders'
Association, held at the Hotel
Hutton, agricultural representative of
the Canadian Pacific Railway, declared
that Canada is on the eve of important
developments in the fight against
tuberculosis both in human beings and
cattle, as the result of investigations
being carried on by the Canadian Re-

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search Council on pasteur vaccine for
the prevention of tuberculosis. Already
considerable success had been report-
ed, he said.

CAPABLE PRODUCING NEARLY TWO HUNDRED MILLION BUSHELS WHEAT

CALGARY, Alta.—Premier J. E.
Browne declared here today that the
Peace River country there were at
least 12,000,000 acres of the finest
wheat-growing soil, easily capable of
the production of 180,000,000 bushels
of wheat a year, which is not much
less than the production of Alberta
last year. This year the Peace River
country produced 8,000,000 bushels of
wheat from 300,000 acres under cul-
tivation, the yield acre being unusually
heavy.

SAY MAY BECOME INDEPENDENT IN A FEW YEARS

CALGARY, Alta.—"I know no
country in the world where a man can
become an independent farmer in a
fewer number of years than Western
Canada," stated the Right Hon. L. C.
St. Amery, M.P., Secretary of State
for the Dominions, interviewed here.
"If a migrant to this country is of
the right stamp and is prepared to get
down to his hands, he must succeed here."

SPOKE ON COAL QUESTION

EDMONTON, Alta., Feb. 8.—A.
McGillivray, leader of the Conservative
party, continued the debate on the
speech from the Throne, and referred
to the coal question as follows:
"I am not advocating any prohibitive
tariff on the importation of coal, but I
am advocating not taking the bread
and butter out of Alberta miners' mouths," he said. "I submit that this
legislature as a legislature, should get
behind the people in trying to place
their coal on the market."

Continuing on the coal question, Mr.
McGillivray reminded the house that
Alberta and Nova Scotia had been

dous reserves of coal, yet Canadian
people were paying at the international
boundary about \$115,000,000 annually
for United States coal.

Transportation Problem

The real impediment to getting Al-
berta coal on the market in the east
was the cost of transportation. The
railways should have no more than a
fair margin of profit, yet on the other
hand, the railways should not be com-
pelled by statute to carry coal at a loss.

Mr. McGillivray argued that the
Board of Railway Commissioners
should fix a rate on which Alberta
producers could compete with United
States coal. Ontario wants Alberta's
product, therefore let the railways
show whether the carrying was done
at a loss and if it should turn out to
be the case, let it be borne as part
of the common burden of the common
people. If there was no loss then no
one would be harmed.

"Canada must not be dependent for
its fuel supply upon a foreign country,
no matter how friendly that country
may be," he said. "Canada should not
have to be subjected to strikes and
other forms of supply of fuel in say,
the Dominion that was the dream of
the Fathers of Confederation."

Not East vs. West
The coal problem was not one of
East vs. West, but a question of the
Canadian people coping with a great
task of overcoming the three tremen-
dous natural barriers stretching from
the Atlantic to the Pacific, Alberta
and each Province must play its part
in this great partnership to make up
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HEARD ON THE STREET

Jim Swanson: Between you and me when do you think of Bob Hambley's girl?

Kelly: "Between you and me, not much. But alone—oh, boy."

"He was a man who had indeed suffered much," says a country paper in its short obituary notice. "He had been a subscriber to this paper since its first number."

Percey Pariah, discarding on the faults of wives: "Can you tell me anything that will drive a man away to drink than a lazy, slovenly woman?"

Bill Tierney: "Did you ever try a salt hammer?"

A Calgary girl was holidaying in the country because rather friendly with a young farmer. One evening as they were strolling in the fields they happened across a cow and a calf rubbing noses in the accepted bovine fashion.

"Ah," said the farmer, "that sight makes me want to do the same."

"Well, go ahead," said the girl enigmatically. "It's your cow."

"I'll give you a dollar to help my maid chop the wood."

"May I see?"

"The wood?"

"No; the maid."

Judge: "Did the accused give you the impression of a drunken man on the night of the slaff?"

Witness: "Yes, he was wearing a watch with an illuminated dial, and was trying to light his cigar with it."

"So you met Mary Anne today?"

"Yes. I hadn't seen her for ten years."

"Has she kept her girlish figure?"

"Yep! It's doubled it."

Two Scotchmen had planned to go fishing at five in the morning. One of them had an alarm clock, but he finally hit on a solution of rousing the other.

"Mac," he said, "when the clock goes off I'll get up and ring ye on a public telephone. But, for the Lord's sake, be sure and don't answer it, so I can get my nicker back."

Mable writes: "What simpletons—poor men at times show themselves to be! This being Leap Year, I have taken advantage of a woman's privilege, and of two I have, so far, known by the offer of my hand, mine have declared themselves to be otherwise engaged, or not 'hardcore.' The simpletons!"

Magistrate (to seedy-looking man): "Where were you last night?"

Prisoner: "Dundee."

Magistrate: "Were you brought up there?"

Prisoner (with smile): "Aye, often."

It appears that the proper definition of a "Christian nation" is one in which a prize-fighter makes more money than a preacher.

A fellow isn't thinkin' mean. Out fishin'.

His thoughts are mostly good and clean. Out fishin'.

He does not knock his fellow-men, Or harbor any grudges then; A fellow at his finest when Out fishin'.

Prospective purchaser (examining volume of maxims): "I don't see any old favorites here about looking the larn after the horse has been stolen."

Recall Rod: "No, this is a new and revised edition. But there's its successor about analyzing the home brew after the funeral has been held."

"What's all the noise in the dining room, sister?"

"Father and Mother swapping animals."

"Swapping animals?"

"Yes, she passed the buck to him and got his goat."

"I say, it's a dead stymie."

"Oh, Erle, don't say I killed the poor little thing."

FALSE PRIDE BLAMED FOR FAILURE SEEN IN EDUCATIONAL SYSTEM

OTTAWA, Ontario—False pride of parents who desire their children to take a higher education for which they are not fitted was one of the chief causes, Dr. J. H. Putnam, senior inpector of the Ottawa public schools, said, for our educational system being a competitive failure.

"They failed to realize," Dr. Putnam said in an address, "that schools and colleges and universities cannot create intelligence; that a man may learn to read but remain ignorant; that a man may spend half a lifetime in school and college and study sciences and mathematics and even gain some mastery over one or two languages and have less natural capacity and intelligence for such studies than his brother who received only an elementary education and has spent his life as a farmer or a clerk or a mechanic."

They failed to understand that the highest is the strongest single force in shaping and directing human life and that education and training can neither add nor subtract from the native power or ability with which every human being is endowed at birth.

"They tried to understand what we now know without a doubt, that the average of human intelligence is low compared with its maximum; that no less than 30 per cent. of the total population of our country cannot profit from the ordinary academic education in our high schools, and that a considerable proportion of this 30 per cent. is unable to complete an ordinary elementary school course."

"It does not mean that the 30 per cent. comprising the least intelligent part of the population is not entitled to as good an education as the more intelligent 60 or 70 per cent. It does mean, however, that what is a fair chance for one may be wholly unfair for another."

"Our secondary schools are from one-quarter to one-third filled with boys and girls who are trying to do the impossible and are consequently desired a fair chance of making good. They leave school without having completed any course and drift from one thing to another, adjusting themselves finally and often unsatisfactorily by the method of trial and error."

WIFE OF SIX MEN
SEEKS A SEVENTH

CHICAGO—Mrs. Myrtle Miller is forty-three years old, but she has had six husbands and is looking for a seventh. She came from Texas and just now she is trying to divorce Modie Wilson, her latest or current husband.

"Next time," she said today, "I'm going to get me an old man. I've had six young husbands and my patience is exhausted."

"Man later? I should say not. I think men are great. Every one of my husbands is still a good friend of mine. They come up evenings and play cards and sit around with my husband and me."

Briefly, here is the "log" of her marital cruise:

No. 1—Robert Wilson, to whom she was married in 1911, in Waco, Texas when she was eighteen and he twenty-two. They had two children.

No. 2—Married to Seth Yonnie, twenty-four, also of Texas. There was blood feud between his family and her's, and she thought it romantic to marry him. They lived together from July to September.

No. 3—George Conley, twenty-four, to whom she was married in 1917. In his uniform "he looked like a million dollars," but when he returned from France and took off his uniform the illusion ended, so she divorced him.

No. 4—George Hollingsworth, thirty, "sat around the house until I was sick of him," so she divorced him after two months.

No. 5—Walter Wilson, twenty-six. Paid too much attention to baseball and roller skating, so she divorced him.

No. 6—Modie Wilson, twenty. "He's entirely too young," so she will divorce him and get an old man for a husband and settle down.

Mrs. Miller has never changed her name throughout the six marriages. "You never know how they will turn out," she explained naively, "and it would get awful confusing. You see my name was Mrs. Myrtle Miller, Wilson, Yonnie, Conley, Hollingsworth, Wilson, Wilson, etc. and that sounds awkward."

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STUDENTS HECKLE SIR JOHN GILMOUR

LONDON—Sir John Gilmour, Secretary for Scotland and M.P. for the Pollock division of Glasgow, had a lively time at Glasgow University when 600 students bombarded him with questions at the end of a speech.

Asked what he thought of the proposals for complete disarmament suggested by the Russian delegation at Geneva, he replied, "I think it is moonshine."

A student raised much laughter by asking: "Is Sir John Gilmour's strong antipathy to Scottish Home Rule more of a personal fear that Sir Harry Louder might take over his job?"

"I did not know he was a competitor," replied Sir John.

He was asked what he proposed to do with the export from Glasgow to America of great consignments of whiskey "in view of the plight of the starving millions in our nation today."

Sir John returned that he was very much in favor of remaining on the best of terms with America.

"What are you going to do about the two million surplus women?" demanded another student.

Sir John won great applause with the rejoinder: "Quite obviously it is a problem which I cannot solve by myself."

A serious-looking youth asked: "What do you propose to do with the millions now living who will never die?"

Sir John: "I propose to leave them to the scientists."

"Can you explain how Lord Birkhead could be elected Lord Rector of Aberdeen University?" was another question.

Sir John: "I cannot take the responsibility for saying."

VALUE FOR TIME PAYMENTS

The Saskatchewan Farmer says: There are still left a few people who are old-fashioned enough to condemn the now almost universal practice of

buying goods on time, but if it were not for the "easy payment" plan a lot of people with automobiles, pianos, radios, washing machines, vacuum cleaners, etc., would be without them and the wheels of industry would be turning at a speed which would be almost impossible.

This is so is demonstrated in recently published figures which show that 75 per cent. of the retail value, or \$100,000,000 worth of washing machines were purchased on the time payment plan; 65 per cent. of the vacuum cleaners, 80 per cent. of the phonographs and 90 per cent. of the piano sales were made on the same basis. It is estimated that 75 per cent. of the automobiles sold in 1925, representing a valuation of over two billion dollars, were sold in like manner.

It has been suggested that the easy payment plan, in addition to providing a great stimulus to trade has also resulted in an improvement of the quality of the goods sold under this method, because the manufacturer is obliged to build an article which will be at least stand up until it has been paid for, and not only must he do that but he must turn out an article which will last for years beyond that time, otherwise he will soon lose the market to a competitor. That this is true in the automobile industry is quite apparent, and it would appear to be true of all the other branches of industry engaged in selling commodities on the time payment plan.

TO SEEK CUTS IN TARIFF

OTTAWA—Federal members from Manitoba and Saskatchewan are joining in an effort to obtain substantial tariff reductions in the forthcoming budget.

While definite proposals have not yet been agreed upon, the Manitoba members are urging tariff cuts on cotton, boots and shoes and kitchen equipment. Other commodities may be added to the list before final representation are made to the government.

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BY LAW NO. 123

A BY-LAW FOR ESTABLISHING A PUBLIC LIBRARY WITH THE ASSENT OF THE ELECTIONS.
A By-law to provide for the establishment of a Public Library in the Town of Strathmore.

WHEREAS 17 resident electors of the Town of Strathmore have petitioned the Council of said Town praying for the establishment of a Public Library under THE PUBLIC LIBRARIES ACT.

Be it therefore enacted by the said Council of the Town of Strathmore, that in case the assent of the electors is given to this By-law a Public Library be established in this Town in accordance with the provisions of THE PUBLIC LIBRARIES ACT.

And be it further enacted that the votes of the electors be taken on this By-law on Monday the 13th day of February, 1925, commencing at nine o'clock in the morning and continuing until five o'clock in the afternoon in the undesignated place:

TOWN HALL, STRATHMORE
And that T. M. WEARS, Secretary-Treasurer of the Town of Strathmore, be Returning Officer, and that Fred J. Dunn, of the Town of Strathmore, be Deputy Returning Officer.

And that on Tuesday, the 14th day of February next, in the Town Hall at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Mayor of the Town of Strathmore, shall appoint in writing signed by him two persons to attend to the final summing up of the votes by the Returning Officer, and one person to attend on behalf of the persons interested in or desirous of opposing the passage of this By-law.

And that the Returning Officer shall attend at the Town Hall, Strathmore, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon on Tuesday, the 14th day of February, 1925, to sum up the number of votes given respectively for and against the By-law.

Notice
The above is a true copy of a proposed By-law which will be taken into consideration by the Council of the Town of Strathmore, and the polls for taking the votes of the electors will be held at the hour, day and place named in the said By-law.

T. M. WEARS,
Secretary-Treasurer
Town of Strathmore
Strathmore, January 17th, 1925.

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3 p.m.—Liturgy.
7:30 p.m.—Memorial to Field Marshal Earl Douglas Hoig, Preacher, the Rev. J. N. Wilkinson.

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REV. J. N. WILKINSON

NOTICE OF POLL

TOWN OF STRATHMORE MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that an election will be held for the office of Councilmen and School Trustees of the Town of Strathmore for the years 1925 and 1929, and that the polling will take place on Monday, the 13th day of February, 1925, from ten o'clock in the forenoon until seven o'clock in the afternoon in the Town Hall, Strathmore, and that I will be the same place on Tuesday, the 14th day of February, 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, sum up the votes and declare the result of the election.

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T. M. WEARS,
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